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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

DEAN et al.

Application No.: 09/856,927

Filed: September 19, 2001

For: A NOVEL ATP-BINDING  
CASSETTE PROTEIN RESPONSIBLE  
FOR CYTOTOXIN RESISTANCE

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed December 13, 2004 on the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.